

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Patent Application of:	)	
	)	Group Art Unit: <b>1745</b>
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	)	Examiner: <b>Alix E. Echelmeyer</b>
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For: BATTERY	)	
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Commissioner For Patents  
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**RESPONSE TO ELECTION/RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT**

Dear Sir:

This amendment is being filed in response to the Office communication dated June 28, 2007. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendment and remarks presented below.

**ELECTION OF SPECIES**

In response to the election requirement, applicant hereby elects Species I for further examination and designates claims 1-8 as reading on this species..

Applicant reserves the right to file divisional applications covering the subject matter of the non-elected claims and/or to request rejoinder of non-elected claims.

Respectfully submitted,

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